Navigating the FMC & Power Administration Contracting Waters: How to Find and Capitalize on Procurement Opportunities II

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Where Are We?



What We Are Looking For

- High quality products
- Reliable suppliers
- Fair prices



 More than one potential supplier to ensure that contracts are awarded in a competitive environment to the maximum extent possible.



Initiating Business with the Government

- Register your business in the System for Awards
 Management (SAM) database (sam.gov)
 - FREE registration
 - REQUIRED for doing business with the Federal Government
 - NOT required for doing business with most FMC



www.SAM.gov



Initiating Business with the Government (cont)

- Register your business with the individual sites
- Email your capabilities statement to better acquaint us with your company and your products and/or services
- Contact the Small Business Program Office to discuss potential opportunities posted on the Procurement Opportunity web pages or arrange a meeting.

Researching Procurement Opportunities

 Department of Energy's Acquisition Forecast Database

- FedBizOpps web site
- DOE Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization webpage (energy.gov/osdbu)
- Individual web site



Free Resources to Help Small Businesses

U.S. Small Business Administration

 Small Business Development Centers

 Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)

Procurement Technical Assistance
 Centers

 Department of Transportation Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program



Other Resources

- Trade Associations
- Local Chamber of Commerce
- Local Economic Development Organizations
- NETWORK, NETWORK, NETWORK



Idaho National Laboratory

Department of Energy - Idaho

Prime Contractors

- Idaho National Laboratory Managed and Operated by Battelle Energy Alliance, LLC
- Idaho Cleanup Project Managed by CH2M-WG Idaho, LLC
- Advanced Mixed Waste Treatment Project (AMWTP) Managed and Operated by Idaho Treatment Group









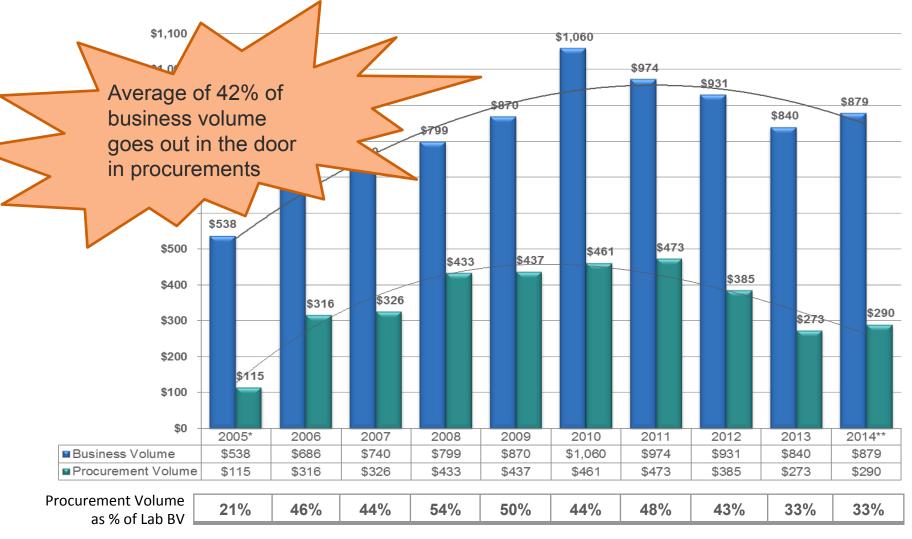


INL – The National Nuclear Laboratory



Research - Development - Demonstration - Deployment

INL Business Volume vs Procurement Volume



*Partial Year 11

**Forecast



INL FY 14 Small Business Goal -- 40%

~\$109M available for Small Business





INL Small Business Program Vision

Vision

"INL Small Business Program will be a leading example of how to target, shape and retain small businesses to help **sustain** a Preeminent World-Class Nuclear Laboratory."



Primary Goals

- Increase the extent, variety and complexity of small business involvement with the INL.
- Ensure that small businesses participate in meaningful prime contract performance.



Opportunities – What We Buy

The principal products and services to be procured in support of the INL Small Business Subcontracting Goals are those associated with an extremely diverse research and development environment and are vital to the vision and mission of the INL.

INL Principle Procurement Categories



• **Commodities:** office supplies; chemicals; industrial supplies; fasteners; tools; clothing; gasses; petroleum



• Construction: new facilities; infrastructure upgrades; leased buildings



• **Equipment:** capital equipment; heavy equipment; instrumentation; engineered hardware; nuclear fuels; reactor spare parts

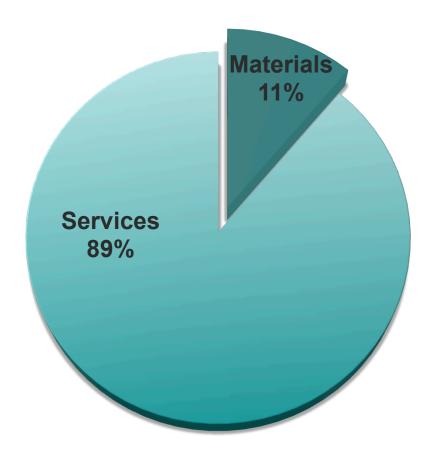


 Information Technologies: specialty software; servers; programming telecommunications services and equipment; equipment systems;



• **Services:** technical services; engineering (civil, structural, mechanical, electrical) environmental support; facility support; janitorial; maintenance; university research and development

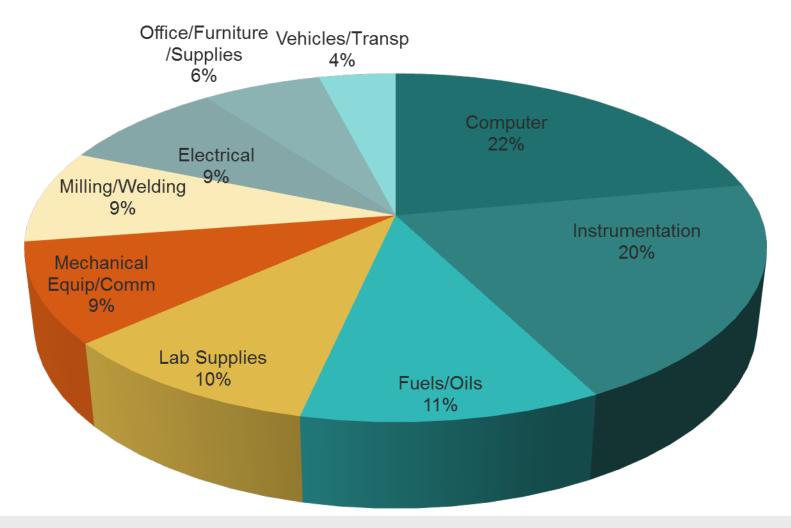
Where We Spend Our Money



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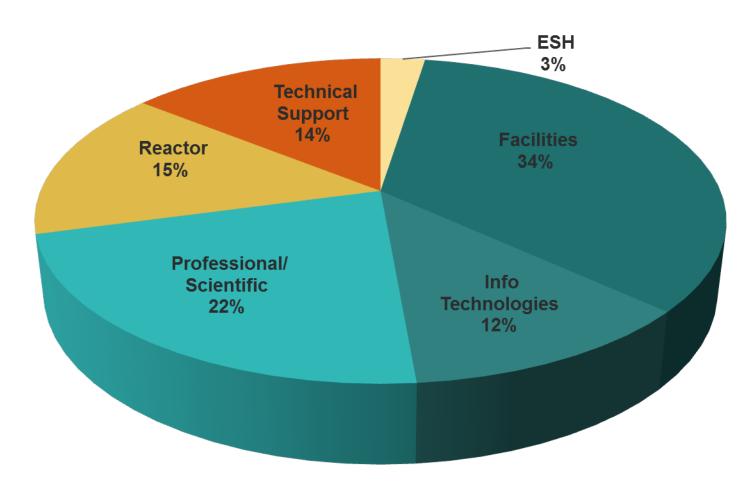


Commodities





Contracts/Services





"Opportunity paged me, beeped me, linked me, e-mailed me, faxed me, and spammed me. But I was expecting it to knock!"



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